Seri-cum-Farmers Service Co-operative Societies in Chamarajanagar Taluk.

602 SRI M. C. BASAPPA (Chamarajanagar).—Will the Minister for Co-operation be pleased to state :—

(a) the number of Seri-*Cum*-Farmers Service Co-operative Societies, which are defaulters in Chamarajanagar Taluk ;

(b) what is the total amount of agricultural credit sanctioned to the farmers through these Co-operative Societies for the year 1978-79.

SRI V. M. KUSHNOOR (Minister for Co-operation).—

(a) 24.

(b) Rs. 32.43 Lakhs

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†ಶ್ರೀ ವೀರಪ್ಪಟ್ಟಿ ಕುಶ್ನೂರ್.—೨೯.

SRI M. C. BASAPPA.—May I know the total amount advanced in a particular year ?

SRI V. M. KUSHNOOR.—We have advanced to only 24 Societies and that too in 1977-78 Rs. 63.73 lakhs and 1978-79 Rs. 32.43 lakhs.

SRI M. C. BASAPPA.—Out of 29 Societies, 24 Societies according to you are defaulters. What is the arrangement made in such of the Societies to advance agricultural credit for the agriculturists in that area ?

SRI V. M. KUSHNOOR.—I said out of 29 Societies, 26 Societies have been advanced loans ; 24 are defaulters, 2 are not defaulters and 3 societies which have not been advanced loan at all.

SRI M. C. BASAPPA.—May I know the reason for these 3 societies for not taking up the advance credit and what is the arrangement the department has made in such of the areas or the jurisdiction of those societies to advance credit to the agricultrists ?

SRI V. M. KUSHNOOR—We have allotted these societies to the State Bank of Mysore but they could not advance loans. Now we are thinking to reallot these societies to the Mysore DCC Bank.

SRI M. C. BASAPPA —Does it mean that all these 3-4 years the people of that area have been deprived of the agricultural credit ?

SRI M. V. KUSHNOOR.—I agree with that.

SRI M. C. BASAPPA—According to you, 24 societies are defaulters what is the arrangement you are going to make in that area to advance the loan to the people who are not defaulters ?

SRI V. M. KUSHNOOR—We are advancing the loans even though they are the defaulters. The members, who have paid back the amount, we are not stopping any advance to them.

SRI M. C. BASAPPA—But the Department says that some of the societies are not eligible f r credit ?

SRI V. M. KUSHNOOR—We have given instructions to all the societies that even one member pays back, he must be advanced loan, th t is the standing instruction.

Panchayats without reserved seats in Hosadurga Taluk

632. SRI K. VENKATARAMAIAH (Hosadurga)—Will the Minister for Rural Development and Panchayati Raj be pleased to state :-

(a) the names of the Village Panchayats wherein there are no reserved seats in the Panchayats of Hosadurga Taluk.

(b) the authority responsible for removing the reserved seats earmaked in favour of depressed class since long time in Bagur Panchayat ;

(c) whether the Government intend to provide a reserved seat in favour of depressed class people in Bagur Panchayat as per the policy of the Government ;

(d) whether the Government intend to rectify the injustice done in most of the Panchayats wherein Blocks have been divided into without giving proper representation to reserved seats ?

SRI K. PRABHAKAR (Minister for Rural Development and Panchayat Raj) —

(a) Bagur and Kurubarahalli.

(b) As per sub-rule 3 of the Karnataka Village Panchayat Rules 1959 (Seats reserved for Harijans and ladies.

(c) There is no provision in the rules mentioned to above.

(d) If injustice has been done, this will be rectified as per the provisions of Law.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ವೆಂಕಟರಾಮಯ್ಯ—ಬಾಗೂರು ಮತ್ತು ಕುರುಬರಹಳ್ಳಿಯಲ್ಲಿದ್ದಂತ ರಿಸರ್ವ್ ಸೀಟು ಗಳನ್ನು ಇಲ್ಲದ ಹಾಗೆ ಮಾಡಿರಲು ಕಾರಣವೇನು ? ಅಲ್ಲಿ ಹರಿಜನರು ಇಲ್ಲವೇ ? ನನಗೆ ಗೊತ್ತಿರುವ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಅಲ್ಲಿ ಹರಿಜನರು ಇದ್ದಾರೆ. ಹರಿಜನರಿದ್ದೂ ಅವರಿಗಾಗಿ ಇದ್ದಂತಹ ಸೀಟನ್ನು ತೆಗೆದು ಹಾಕಿರುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಕಾರಣವೇನು ?